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NO. 13

COLLINS IS RE-SENTENCED

HOW HE CONVICTED MURDER.
EIGHT HOURS THEIR TIME

Sleep Well, Good Eaters, Read
Magazines and Write All Letters
- applications Permit.

Clarence R. Collins was brought into court on Thursday afternoon to be re-sentenced. The Supreme Court had sent record back in order that

prisoner should be resentenced under Act of 1913, specifying where the prisoner was to be electrocuted. The record will then be returned to the Supreme Court in order that the question of jurisdiction shall be passed upon by that court.

And now, Nov. 6, 1919, the sentence of the law is that you, Clarence R. Collins, for the murder of the first degree of George J. Bushman, whereof you stand convicted, be taken

hence to the jail of Adams County, whence you came, and that you be taken thence, as required by law, to the Western Penitentiary in Centre County, Pennsylvania, and, during the week fixed by the Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in his warrant that then and there

in the building and in the manner and mode provided by law, a current of electricity shall be caused to pass through your body and continue until you are dead, and may God in His Infinite Goodness have mercy on your soul.

Both Clarence Collins and Charles Reinecker are exhibiting a confidence and confidence that their position does not seem to warrant. They are not stupid or stolid young men but seem as unconcerned as though they were not facing the highest crime in

In an interview with Sheriff Hartman he states that both of the boys have made him no trouble. That they sleep well. They have good appetites. They spend all the time in their own cells. They do a good deal of work.

times see the city papers. They are occasionally visited by relatives. They also write a good many letters to relatives and others. When Sheriff Hartman was asked for an explanation of their unconcern he said that they seemed to have the idea that

they will not be electrocuted but will be given life punishment. He said he gathered this conclusion from the letters. They have written to John Miller and Fred Moore at the penitentiary and have frequently said in these letters that they were going to

join them or be with them when they are.

Some Dont's for Hunters.

Don't try to kill a squirrel with the butt of your gun.

Don't take any chances. The function of the shotgun is to scatter shot, but be careful where you scatter it.

Don't blaze away in haste and don't get excited. Don't shoot

Don't point a gun at any person's chest. It is a bad idea, and it is not known as an old-fashioned rule. It does the opposite. It is an attempt to point a gun at your chest.

the fact that the *in vitro* and *in vivo* results are in good agreement. The *in vivo* results are in good agreement with the *in vitro* results, which are in good agreement with the *in vivo* results.

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Don't load your gun until you are
completely ready for business. At
other times it should be empty.
Keep your finger off the trigger
until you are looking down the barrel
at your game.

Don't use a cheap gun, as it is a to explode when a heavy charge used.

Don't borrow a dog or gun or lo either.

Don't violate the game laws. It not only criminal, but sometime

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DECK OF STEAMER CROWDED WITH EMIGRANTS RETURNING TO EUROPE AFTER THE WAR.

RETURNING ALIENS SHOULD BUY W. S. S.

Their Savings Invested With Uncle Sam Are Safe and Show a Sure Profit.

Since the signing of the armistice, it is estimated that 900,000 alien residents of the United States have gone back to Europe. These emigrants included Italians, Greeks, Jugoslavs, Syrians, Croats, Servians, Kurds and Rumanians. Investigation showed that many of the men of these latter races had saved as much as \$3000 which they took with them in money.

That fact is a wonderful proof of the opportunities afforded to immigrants by this nation, but it is also proof that the aliens who returned to Europe had failed to seize one of the most important of these opportunities. Had they invested that money in United States government securities, such as War Savings Stamps and Treasury Savings Certificates, their savings need not have been idle a moment. Throughout their journeys, during the time necessary for them to relocate themselves, they would have been protected from robbery and loss and assured of a profit.

Further, they would have been removed from temptation to risk their saving in schemes devised solely to rob them. The ease with which some of the foreign born residents may be parted from their hard-earned money is exemplified by the experience of Professor Luigi Luzzatti, former Italian Premier. The Italian statesman recently was deluged with money from America in sums of \$1 to \$100 asking him to reserve tickets for the senders in a supposed international lottery the proceeds of which were to go towards defraying the cost of the war. There was no such lottery. A mere rumor in the French press had been sufficient to induce hundreds to part with their money.

If the foreign born residents of America are seeking to aid in paying the cost of the war, both for this country and the nations of Europe, the safest and most effective method of doing it is to save a portion of what they earn and invest it in U. S. War Savings Stamps and Treasury Savings Certificates.

America presents to the foreign born the opportunity to make money and the United States government by means of War Savings Stamps, presents the means of saving it, for the benefit of the foreign born themselves, the country of their adoption and the country of their birth.

WORK OF SAVINGS DIVISION TO CONTINUE

Savings Stamps and Certificates to Be Sold Indefinitely Says Secretary Glass.

The government has received more than \$1,107,000,000 through sales of Thrift Stamps, War Savings Stamps and Treasury Savings Certificates in the twenty-two months they have been available for purchase by the public. This is shown in a detailed statement concerning the work of the Savings Division of the Treasury Department issued by Secretary of the Treasury Glass. After a steady decrease in sales from the signing of the armistice, War Savings Stamps began to be in greater demand in August and September, and reports thus far for October show a substantial increase.

As Secretary Glass has previously announced, Thrift Stamps, War Savings Stamps and Treasury Certificates will be available for purchase indefinitely. The design for the 1920 War Savings Stamp is now being completed, while that of the Thrift Stamp and Treasury Savings Certificate will remain the same.

Secretary Glass' statement said: "Figures have been compiled showing the expenses of the government savings and investment movement and the returns from the sales of the smaller denomination securities up to and including September 30 of the present year. While, naturally, with the termination of the popular campaigns of the war period which made instant appeal to the patriotic fervor of that time, sales dropped sharply to a decidedly lower level, the trend appearing in the figures for August and September indicates that the efforts of the Savings Organization to combat the present tendency to waste and extravagance which have come as a reaction from the wartime economies, are beginning to have their effect. The present showing of expense versus return is a gratifying one."

Expenditures of the Savings Division have materially decreased during the present calendar year and are being reduced with a view to making the thrift movement permanent.

The measure of the usefulness of the Savings Organization and of the thrift movement is not to be found in sales of Savings Stamps and Certificates alone. The Savings Organization is charged with the duty of teaching thrift and saving and investment in and holding of government securities of all kinds—Liberty Bonds, Victory Notes, and Certificates of Indebtedness, as well as Savings Certificates.

Proclamation

To the Coroner, Justices of the Peace and Constables in the different Boroughs and Townships in the County of Adams—Greetings.

KNOW YE, that in pursuance of a precept to me directed under the hand and seal of the Honorable D. P. McPherson, Pres. of the several Courts of Common Pleas, in the first Judicial District, consisting of the Counties of Adams and Fulton, and by virtue of his office of the Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, for the trial of Capital and other offenders therein, and in the General Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, and at a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery at Gettysburg, at a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery of the Peace therein to be holden in the County of Adams aforesaid the Second Monday of Nov., 1919, it being the 10th day at 10 o'clock a. m., of said day then and there to do those things to which your several offices appertain.

GIVEN under my hand at SEAL Gettysburg on the 4th day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

HOWARD J. HARTMAN, Sheriff.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE

In re: Estate of Anna L. Kitzmiller, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, County of Adams and State of Pennsylvania, deceased.

Letters of Administration upon the above styled estate having been duly granted by the Register of Wills of Adams County, Pennsylvania, unto the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are hereby notified to promptly make payment thereof and all having claims or accounts against the same to promptly present them for payment to

ROBERT C. MILLER,
JACOB I. MUMPER,
Residing on Baltimore
St., Gettysburg, Pa.
Or to their Attys.,
BUTT & BUTT,
Gettysburg, Pa.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Louisa Wagaman, late of McSherrystown, Borough, Adams county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, they hereby give notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

F. X. WEAVER,
PIUS I. WAGAMAN,
Executors,
McSherrystown, Pa.
Or their Attys.,
WM. McSHERRY, Esq.,
Gettysburg, Pa.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Amos M. Fissel, late of the Township of Butler, Adams county, Pa., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned and all persons indebted are required to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them in legal form to

MARTHA E. FISSEL,
Administratrix,
Biglerville R. R. No. 1.
Or her Attys.,
Wm. Arch. McClean,
Gettysburg, Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Catherine Rider, late of the Borough of McSherrystown, Adams county, Pa., deceased have been granted to the undersigned and all persons indebted are required to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them in legal form to

WILLIAM I. RIDER,
Administrator,
2345 S. 10th St., Phila. Pa.
Or his Attys.,
WM. ARCH. McCLEAN,
Gettysburg, Pa.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Almada Wolf, late of the Borough of Abbottstown, Adams county, Pa., have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said estate will make payment of same, and those having claims present them at once to

ALLEN MARCH
REUBEN ALTLAND
Executors,
Abbottstown, Pa.
Executors.

Lost Baggage.

There are at present approximately 150,000 pieces of lost baggage belonging to members of the A. E. F. on the government docks at Hoboken, N. J., made up of 20,000 trunk lockers, 15,000 bed-rolls, 5,000 suitcases, and 110,000 baggage bags which have come from overseas and remain unclaimed by their owners.

Much of this baggage is marked with names only and cannot be forwarded to the owners. In all cases a new shipping address is required. All owners of lost baggage should forward their claims and present addresses to the Lost Baggage Branch, Pier No. 2, Hoboken, New Jersey, with an accurate description of the missing property.

A complete Card Index permits prompt and the baggage is forwarded by express at Government expense if on hand at Hoboken.

The Red Cross Home Service desires to assist each man from overseas to recover his lost property as well as to help the Government to dispose of this enormous accumulation, and will assist in making out claims.

List of Jurors

Grand Jurors.

List of Grand Jurors drawn October 4, 1919, for the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, to be held at Gettysburg in and for the County of Adams the second Monday of November, A. D. 1919.

Bream, C. C., Agent, Gettysburg, 1st ward.
Brinton, H. C., Farmer, Berwick Twp.
Daugherty, C. B., Merchant, Gettysburg, 1st ward.
Devine, John W., Gent, Conewago Twp.
Galloway, Chas., Chair-maker, Straban Twp.
Garretson, J. L., Farmer, Latimore Twp.
Heagy, Geo. W. G., Guide, Gettysburg 3rd ward.
Irvin Albert, Laborer, Franklin Twp.
Jacobs, J. Quincy, Agent, Fairfield Boro.
Kindig, Albert, Farmer, Germany Twp.
Lobaugh, Adam, Teamster, Huntingtown Twp.
Messinger, David, Cigar maker, Littlestown Boro.
Martz, Geo. J., Blacksmith, Franklin Twp.
Meckley, Geo., Gent, Tyrone Twp.
Mickley, Morgan, Chauffeur, Gettysburg 2nd ward.
McCollough, James H., Farmer, Cumberland Twp.
Nary, Quay, Carpenter, Hamiltonban Twp.
Robert, L. M., Laborer, Franklin Twp.
Spangler, Chas. A., Farmer, Highland Twp.
Schriner, Harry T., Laborer, Gettysburg 1st ward.
Spangler, John, Restaurant keeper, Gettysburg 2nd ward.
Tate, Chas. A., Laborer, Huntingtown Twp.
Wolf, John, Farmer, Butler Twp.
Zimmerman, J. Elmer, Farmer, Liberty Twp.

Petit Jurors.

List of Grand Jurors drawn October 4, 1919, for the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery to be held at Gettysburg in and for the County of Adams the second Monday of November A. D. 1919.

Aughinbaugh, G. B., Fireman, Gettysburg 1st ward.
Appler, John T., Laborer, Mt. Joy Twp.
Bubb, A. L., Miller, Latimore Twp.
Bixler, Harry, Butcher, Mt. Pleasant Twp.
Buntz, Chas. I., Painter, Conewago Twp.
Cashman, Clinton, Agent, East Berlin Boro.
Colgan, F. X., Book-keeper, McSherrystown 2nd ward.
Coleman, D. S., Gent, Gettysburg 2nd ward.
Deatrick, Luther C., Clerk, Gettysburg 3rd ward.
Deardorff, Chas. J., Farmer, Franklin Twp.
Donaldson, Wm. C., Farmer, Hamiltonban Twp.
Day, T. F., Farmer, Menallen Twp.
Elliot, Lewis, Farmer, Latimore Twp.
Fidler, Howard G., Farmer, Straban Twp.

Fram, Merritt, Farmer, Butler Twp.
Guise, William N., Farmer, Huntingtown Twp.
Hartman, Willis, Laborer, Hamilton Twp.
Hildebrand, Dr. J. H., Physician, Biglerville Boro.
Haverstock, Gilbert A., Blacksmith, East Berlin Boro.
Knouse, Allen, Farmer, Highland Twp.
Krichten, Stan., Cigar Maker, McSherrystown 1st ward.
Kunkle, John R., Farmer, Franklin Twp.
Kaffman, James W., Laborer, Gettysburg 3rd ward.
Myers, Geo., Cigar Maker, Germany Twp.

Nester, J. A., Farmer, Hamilton Twp.
Pantaker, Noah, Farmer, Conewago Twp.
Plank, H. S., Laborer, Gettysburg, 1st ward.
Smith, William L., Salesman, McSherrystown 2nd ward.
Spangler, D. O., Farmer, Germany Twp.
Small, Aloysius, Laborer, McSherrystown 2nd ward.
Spangler, J. Howard, Cigar Maker, Littlestown Boro.
Toel, William C., Farmer, Mt. Pleasant Twp.
Wehner, Ralph, Cigar Maker, Littlestown Boro.
Wisler, John M., Teacher, Littlestown Boro.
Waybright, Oliver, Farmer, Freedom Twp.
Winand, C. E., Merchant, Straban Twp.
Winand, Earl, Blacksmith, Huntingtown Twp.
Zepp, Harry, Farmer, Straban Twp.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

The Directors of the Mummasburg Mutual Fire Protection Society have ordered an assessment of three (3) per cent on the amount of the Premium Notes to pay fire losses on or before Dec. 1, 1919.

Particular attention is called to the 17th Section of the By-Laws viz: Whenever an assessment has been made upon the premium notes and not paid within thirty days after the same shall have been demanded the policy shall be considered as null and void and of no validity, but the Directors may retain the premium note and collect thereon such sum: and should it become necessary to enforce the payment of the amount assessed by suit of law, the recovery of said costs to form part of the claim due the delinquent member of the Society.

GEORGE E. HARTMAN,
Secretary.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration c. t. a. on the estate of Raymond F. Hershey, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams county, Pa., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted are required to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them in legal form

CHARLES A. HERSHEY, Administrator c. t. a., McKnightstown, Pa.

Or his Atty., WM. ARCH. McCLEAN, Gettysburg, Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of David Troxel, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams county, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned and all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent are requested to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payment without delay to

CHAS. W. TROXEL, Admr., Gettysburg, Pa.

Or his Attorney, J. L. WILLIAMS, Esq., Gettysburg, Pa.

BIG RED CROSS PEACE PROGRAM

New Plans of Organization Bring It to Every Person and Home in Country.

AS IMPORTANT AS IN WAR

Nation-Wide Activity For Improving Public Health and Expansion of its Nursing Resources Two Objects.

The peace program of the American Red Cross has just been made public and it is gigantic in its scope. It is so comprehensive that it will bring the activities of the organization into practically every home and into the life of every person in the country.

The Program.

Foremost will be nation-wide activity for the promotion of public health and hand-in-hand with this crusade will go a vigorous campaign for the extension of the country's nursing resources; the broadening of the Red Cross Home Service, which in the war proved so helpful through the assistance it was able to give the families of soldiers and sailors, to be of general usefulness where other social agencies are lacking; greatly increased Junior Red Cross activities; extension of Red Cross facilities for emergency disaster relief; completion of relief measures for the victims of the war in this country and overseas, and preparation to fulfill whatever duties may be laid upon it as the volunteer relief society officially authorized to assist the army and navy.

The plan of the Red Cross public health campaign calls for co-operation with other existing health organizations throughout the United States, acting by itself where no health agency now exists, in an effort to reduce the high mortality due to preventable disease and to improve general health conditions.

The Public Health.

Public health nursing will be one of the important features of this campaign. Red Cross public health nurses will be assigned to as many small communities as possible, thus extending to the rural population the bedside nursing, school inspection, classes in hygiene and home nursing and search for tuberculosis and other preventable disease that has been so effective in the cities and larger towns.

In this connection it is planned to offer to every woman in America instruction in home sanitation, hygiene, care of the sick and dietetics, thus providing first-hand knowledge of how to keep the family well and what to do where illness or accident cannot be avoided. These courses are now being introduced in the public schools and colleges and are offered department store employees, factory operatives, girl scouts, nursemaids and others, fitting them to help combat infant and child mortality, malnutrition, unsanitary living conditions, preventable disease and epidemics in their own homes.

The seven thousand public health nurses in the United States are far too few to meet the ever-increasing demands for their services.

Home Service.

Home service among the families of American soldiers and sailors has brought out the important fact that in 90 per cent of the places where Home Service is now operating there is no other social work agency. Accordingly there is an imperative demand, national in scope, that this service with its thousands of highly trained workers, be continued and expanded to assist all needy families in communities where other neighborly relief is not at hand.

As always, the Red Cross must hold itself ready for instant relief service in time of public disaster, such as great fires, floods, cyclones, shipwrecks, earthquakes, pestilence, famine and epidemics. Experience in the war and the great organization built up through that emergency will with quickly available funds make this branch of Red Cross activity more effective than ever before.

The Junior Work.

The Junior Red Cross, with its millions of members in the schools, public and private, throughout the United States, has laid plans calling for \$500,000 for relief work abroad, this amount constituting 90 per cent of the money the Juniors raise, the remainder to be used for local relief in co-operation with Home Service. It is also planned to have the Junior members supplement and assist in the work of the national organization wherever possible, with especial regard to the needs of children.

The turning over to the American Red Cross of the surplus medical and surgical supplies and supplementary food stores of the "American army abroad" for distribution among the still suffering native populations, together with the foreign relief programs still being carried out largely in Poland, the Balkans and Siberia, necessitates the continuance of Red Cross operations overseas.

HAVE NEW SENSE OF DUTY

America Probably Has Taught Much to French Women of the Highest Social Position.

They were handing out pots and pans to the returned refugees at Reims that day.

It was really a very gay occasion, says Blanche Brace in World Outlook. The pots and pans made it so, in spite of the ghosts of dead homes (mere hollow shells of ruined houses) all around the shattered building where the distribution was being made, the broken cathedral over yonder, the miles of devastation everywhere. Sometimes the refugee women hugged the cheap utensils to them and crooned over them as if they had been children; sometimes they wanted to pay a few centimes "rent" for them, so that they might feel the things were their own. These were not just pots and pans, but the promise of comfort and security again, the nucleus for new homes that should rise from the ruins.

A countess with smudged fingers, and half a dozen other French women of prestige, stood behind the counter and handed out the utensils. All at once a middle-aged, homely mere dropped her pan with a clatter.

"Mon Dieu!" she gasped, "is she a countess? And I fought with her for a bigger pot! And working so hard—what does it mean?"

What it meant was that France learned two new words from America during the war—social service.

FOODS NO LONGER IN USE

Vegetables and Meats, Familiar in the Middle Ages, Have Disappeared From Modern Menu.

If the art of cooking has declined, it is in part due to the changing fashions in food. For instance, in Germany in the middle ages many vegetables were eaten which have long since disappeared from the table, such as violet leaves, mixed with young nettles, and green wheat, and boiled hemp seed. Salads were made of mallow leaves, celery roots, and purslane, mixed with salt and pepper, for oil was almost unknown. Olive oil was considered to smack of effeminacy and Italian luxury. Horseradish sauce was used instead.

The origin of sauerkraut is lost in antiquity. But it was certainly made by the German hausfrau long before cauliflowers or artichokes or potatoes were known. The potato revolutionized the fare of the poor, who had formerly to rely on the roots of wild plants. The variety of meats was larger, including beavers, and in Berne bears were kept for food. Spices and aromatics were much sought after and far more used for cooking. Ginger and nutmegs were used to flavor many dishes that have now vanished from our tables.

HONORED HIS GREAT Foe.

The Crystal Palace, home of the British Imperial War museum, was the scene in its earliest infancy of a touching incident apparently unrecorded by any of Wellington's biographers. According to "Le Palais de Cristal," a French weekly published in London at the time of the great exhibition, "one day in April, when our workmen were busily engaged unpacking exhibits in the French section, the duke of Wellington appeared, in company with his daughter, the marchioness of Douro. He was expressing his interest in several products of French industry, when the workmen happened to open a case containing a statue of Napoleon. The duke stopped his conversation, removed his hat, and bowed his head. It was easy to see, both by the attitude of his body and the expression of his face, that the old soldier was deeply moved. There fell upon all present one of those deep spells of silence which imply more than an ocean of words."

LAME EVERY MORNING.

A Bad Back is Generally Worse in the Morning. Gettysburg People Are Finding Relief.

A back that aches all day and causes discomfort at night is usually worse in the morning. Makes you feel as if you hadn't slept at all.

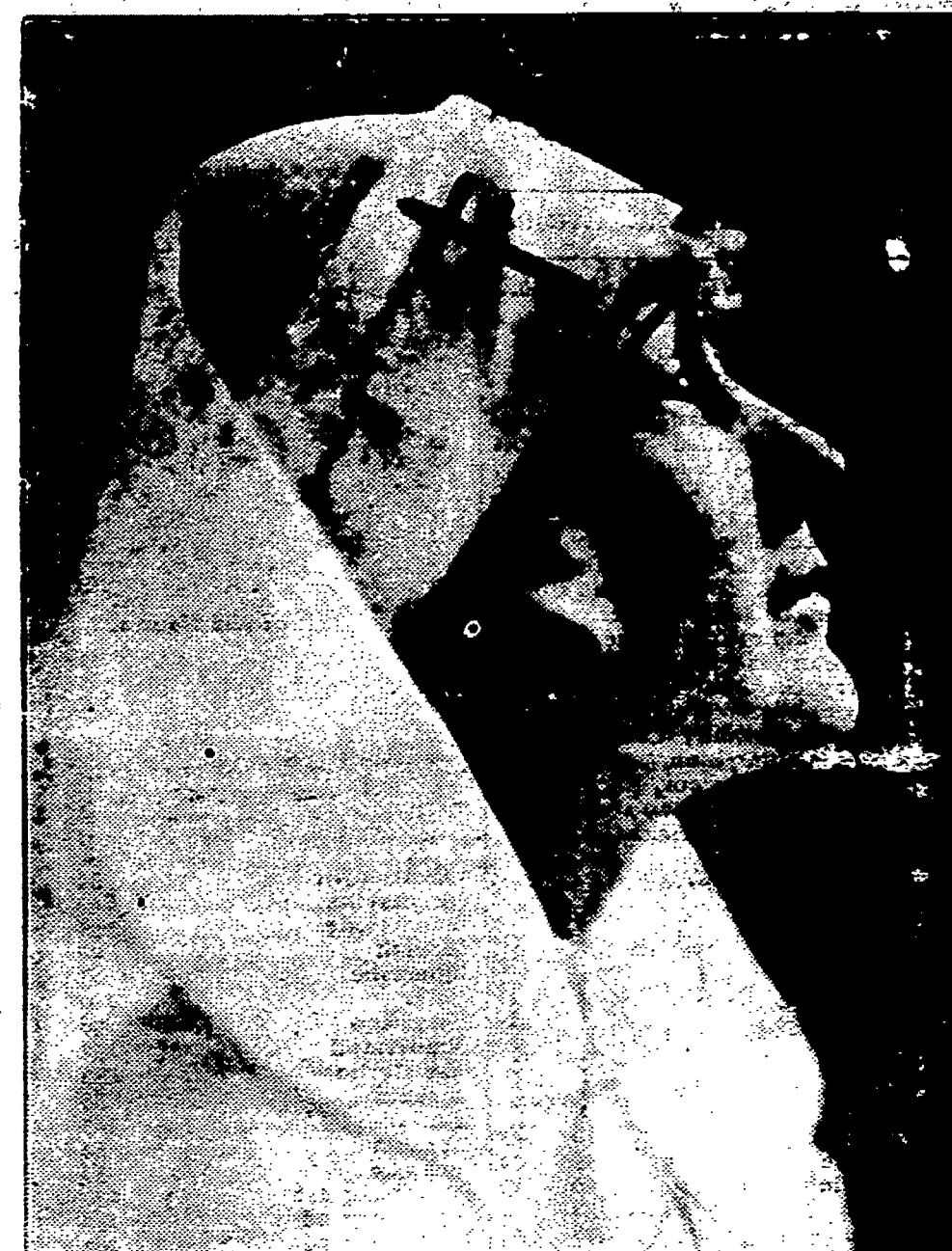
You can't get rid of kidney backache, until you reach the cause—the kidneys. Doan's Kidney Pills are especially prepared for weakened or disordered kidneys—have been gratefully recommended by thousands.

Testimony of Gettysburg people proves the merit of Doan's. John J. Tawney, 234 Baltimore St., Gettysburg says: "I suffered off and on with rheumatic pains and kidney ailments. My back ached constantly and often in the morning I was so lame and stiff I could hardly get out of bed. My kidneys acted irregularly too. Someone advised me to try Doan's Kidney Pills and I got some at the People's Drug Store. I was surprised at the quick relief I received. I am not bothered by rheumatic pains now and I am in much better health all around."

OVER TWO YEARS LATER Mr. Tawney said: "I still use Doan's Kidney Pills, in fact, I always keep them in the house. I know if I take a few as soon as I have any symptoms of kidney trouble, I will be saved a great deal of suffering."

Price 60c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Tawney had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

THIS IS THE RED CROSS CHRISTMAS SEALS GIRL



BEVERLY HAYES

Beverly Hayes says: "They Red Cross Christmas Seals. They protect little children from the ravages of tuberculosis. They build a barrier of health about the workers of the nation. They protect homes—your home. They spell hope, assurance and physical and economic rehabilitation to more than one million people in the United States who have tuberculosis. If you purchase enough Red Cross Christmas Seals, the death rate of this dread plague will be materially reduced."

"Last year 150,000 people fell victims of the disease. Twelve thousand of these were little children. Think of it! This death toll is needless. If we all do our part in the sale this year, next year's death rate will be smaller. It will be reduced year by year until eventually tuberculosis has passed into the oblivion which has already engulfed smallpox, leprosy and typhoid fever."

RED CROSS SEALS ARE HEALTH AGENTS

Idea Was Originated in This Country in 1908 by Miss Emily P. Bissell, of Wilmington, Del.

FIRST SALE YIELDED \$3,000

National Tuberculosis Association, Which Sponsors Sale, Will Place 650,000,000 Seals on Sale to Finance the Fight Against Tuberculosis.



The Red Cross Seal—as millions of Americans know it to day, is an agent of happiness and health. It was originated in 1907 by Miss Emily P. Bissell, of Wilmington, Delaware, who learned through Jacob Riis of somewhat similar seals that were sold in Norway for the purpose of raising funds with which to fight tuberculosis.

Miss Bissell persuaded the American Red Cross to take up the idea with the result that seals were sold in a limited number of communities in 1908. The sale yielded a revenue of approximately \$3,000. The Red Cross then decided to issue the seals each year and to turn the proceeds over to the National Tuberculosis Association and its affiliated societies for the purpose of financing the campaign against tuberculosis. The number of seals sold in America increased by leaps and bounds until in 1917 the total reached 150,000,000.

This year the seals are again on sale beginning December 1. More than half a billion seals have been printed for distribution to state and local agents. In addition to the seals "Health Bonds" in denominations ranging from \$5.00 to \$100.00 are to be sold in lieu of seals to large contributors, who do not send out a sufficient quantity of mail in December to make use of all the seals they would like to purchase. The combined quotas of all the state or organizations call for more than \$6,500,000 to carry out the intensive educational campaign being conducted by the National Tuberculosis Association and its 1,000 affiliated societies.

The intensive sale of these seals represents a practical demonstration of every lesson that has been learned regarding scientific distribution. Experts of the highest standing in sales management have co-operated to the extent of assuring those interested that every resident of the United States will have an opportunity to buy Red Cross Christmas Seals.

WORKERS NEEDED TO FIGHT WHITE PLAGUE

National Tuberculosis Association, Which Sponsors Red Cross Seal Sale, is Conducting Intensive Educational Campaign.

A call for volunteers to fight under the standard of the National Tuberculosis Association and its 1000 affiliated bodies throughout the country against tuberculosis—humanity's most vicious foe—has been sounded.

A recent health survey, made by the experts of the National Tuberculosis Association, brought to light some startling statistics with regard to the prevalence of the disease. The findings of this survey have revealed a national menace, which must be eradicated. The figures show that each year 150,000 persons die of the disease and that there are approximately 2,000,000 cases of tuberculosis in the United States today.

The untaught consumptive—one who does not know the rules of health, is an indefatigable spreader of the disease. Wherever he goes, he leaves behind him a trail of the deadly germs. The National Tuberculosis Association and its affiliated bodies have entered upon an intensive nation-wide educational campaign. The campaign will be localized and within a short time there will be ample work for many thousands of volunteers.

The National Tuberculosis Association and its affiliated bodies are financed largely by the annual sale of Red Cross Christmas Seals. To make possible the carrying out of this campaign, more than 600,000,000 seals will be offered for sale during the holidays. State and local tuberculosis associations have at hand valuable local data regarding the disease and actual conditions in the communities where they are located. The officers of these bodies eagerly welcome inquiries.

DOUBLE BARRED CROSS ADOPTED 17 YEARS AGO

The double barred Red Cross is seventeen years old this month. In October, 1902, the International Anti-Tuberculosis Association, then meeting in Berlin, adopted the cross as the emblem of the world-wide fight against tuberculosis. It was proposed by Dr. G. Sersiron, of Paris. It is a combination of the Croix de Lorraine and the cross of the Greek Catholic church. Both crosses are symbolic of charity and help to humanity. Their combined features were selected and adopted as the symbol of the hope of civilization. Four years later, in 1906, the double barred Red Cross was carried into this country. It was in 1908, the National Tuberculosis Association was formed, and for the three intervening years the cross has been carried over the United States by the National Tuberculosis Association and its affiliated bodies, which now number one thousand.

The work of these organizations is financed chiefly by the Red Cross Christmas Seal sale.



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Wm. Arch. McLean, Editor

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 1916.

UNOFFICIAL ELECTION RETURNS.

The unofficial returns of the election show a divided victory, the Democrats elected being H. E. Smiley for Register and Recorder, J. R. Hartman for Clerk of the Courts, W. C. Snyder the minority County Commissioner, two County Auditors, H. B. Beard and M. E. Freed, and County Surveyor, S. Miley Miller.

The Republicans elected were Sheriff, John Hartman; Prothonotary, Harry G. Roth; District Attorney, Raymond E. Topper; County Treasurer, Roy Zim; County Commissioners, Wm. Linn and R. H. Lupp; Directors of Poor, Ed. R. Benner and E. W. Hall, and minority County Auditor, Deatrice.

Sheriff.

DISTRICTS

Abbottstown	33	41
Arendtsville	51	37
Bendersville	55	18
Berwick	33	70
Biglerville	66	76
Butler	95	171
Conowago	72	83
Cumberland	174	119
East Berlin	68	83
Fairfield	62	42
Franklin	222	189
Freedom	54	44
Germany	48	73
Gettysburg 1st	207	141
Gettysburg 2d	183	91
Gettysburg 3d	223	101
Hamilton	41	67
Hamiltonban 1	164	86
Hamiltonban 2	6	32
Highland	64	32
Huntington 1	99	72
Huntington 2	28	32
Latimore	132	23
Liberty	71	59
Littlestown	208	115
McSherrystown 1	33	54
McSherrystown 2	62	53
Menallen	215	65
Mt. Joy	129	82
Mt. Pleasant 1	45	32
Mt. Pleasant 2	35	37
Mt. Pleasant 3	69	71
New Oxford	123	86
Oxford	93	78
Reading	71	121
Straban	163	147
Tyrone 1	42	26
Tyrone 2	44	46
Union	34	86
York Springs	55	24

Prothonotary.

DISTRICTS

Abbottstown	33	41
Arendtsville	51	37
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Berwick	33	70
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Tyrone 1	42	26
Tyrone 2	44	46
Union	34	86
York Springs	55	24

Register and Recorder.

DISTRICTS

Abbottstown	32	41
Arendtsville	60	40
Bendersville	60	14
Berwick	30	75
Biglerville	110	36
Butler	144	118
Conowago	65	94
Cumberland	130	166
East Berlin	66	88

Fairfield	58	31
Franklin	185	234
Freedom	39	59
Germany	36	91
Gettysburg 1st	170	262
Gettysburg 2d	144	147
Gettysburg 3d	154	178
Hamilton	36	73
Hamiltonban 1	164	83
Hamiltonban 2	6	33
Highland	48	51
Huntington 1	84	79
Huntington 2	28	33
Latimore	131	56
Liberty	72	55
Littlestown	168	217
McSherrystown 1	18	75
McSherrystown 2	38	90
Menallen	224	55
Mt. Joy	100	110
Mt. Pleasant 1	34	40
Mt. Pleasant 2	17	51
Mt. Pleasant 3	44	91
New Oxford	77	125
Oxford	36	120
Reading	76	116
Straban	147	167
Tyrone 1	42	32
Tyrone 2	44	35
Union	26	91
York Springs	54	24

Clerk of the Courts.

DISTRICTS

Abbottstown	33	41
Arendtsville	51	37
Bendersville	55	18
Berwick	33	70
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McSherrystown 1	33	54
McSherrystown 2	62	53
Menallen	215	65
Mt. Joy	129	82
Mt. Pleasant 1	45	32
Mt. Pleasant 2	35	37
Mt. Pleasant 3	69	71
New Oxford	123	86
Oxford	93	78
Reading	71	121
Straban	163	147
Tyrone 1	42	26
Tyrone 2	44	46
Union	34	86
York Springs	55	24

District Attorney.

DISTRICTS

Abbottstown	34	40
Arendtsville	69	31
Bendersville	58	12
Berwick	78	39
Biglerville	105	39
Butler	152	105
Conowago	95	63
Cumberland	199	96
East Berlin	73	78
Fairfield	62	45
Franklin	244	174
Freedom	56	43
Germany	42	89
Gettysburg 1st	302	158
Gettysburg 2d	190	100
Gettysburg 3d	211	120
Hamilton	39	71
Hamiltonban 1	148	102
Hamiltonban 2	6	36
Highland	70	29
Huntington 1	87	76
Huntington 2	36	41
Latimore	122	52
Liberty	85	38
Littlestown	186	139
McSherrystown 1	52	46
McSherrystown 2	88	39
Menallen	232	43
Mt. Joy	141	65
Mt. Pleasant 1	46	31
Mt. Pleasant 2	37	37
Mt. Pleasant 3	62	74
New Oxford	110	99
Oxford	73	82
Reading	81	109
Straban	168	147
Tyrone 1	45	26
Tyrone 2	49	38
Union	32	89
York Springs	61	20

County Treasurer.

DISTRICTS

Abbottstown	35	43
Arendtsville	62	39
Bendersville	62	12
Berwick	38	81
Biglerville	107	41
Butler	164	89
Conowago	73	84
Cumberland	156	141
East Berlin	73	77
Fairfield	62	47
Franklin	197	225
Freedom	57	47
Germany	38	88
Gettysburg 1st	276	163
Gettysburg 2d	167	124
Gettysburg 3d	187	143
Hamilton	37	74
Hamiltonban 1	166	84
Hamiltonban 2	6	33
Highland	63	36

County Commissioners.

DISTRICTS

Abbottstown	33	46
Arendtsville	25	71
Bendersville	39	56
Berwick	26	37
Biglerville	82	102
Butler	89	139
Conowago	58	69
Cumberland	171	154
East Berlin	56	89
Fairfield	75	55
Franklin	182	172
Freedom	47	45
Germany	39	35
Gettysburg 1st	223	239
Gettysburg 2d	157	104
Gettysburg 3d	162	191
Hamilton	33	31
Hamiltonban 1	221	141
Hamiltonban 2	15	8
Highland	72	43
Huntington 1	78	89
Huntington 2	27	38
Latimore	121	129
Liberty	87	63
Littlestown	112	157
McSherrystown 1	112	157
McSherrystown 2	112	157
Menallen	112	157
Mt. Joy	112	157
Mt. Pleasant 1	112	157
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New Oxford	112	157
Oxford	112	157
Reading	112	157
Straban	112	157
Tyrone 1	112	157
Tyrone 2	112	157
Union	112	157
York Springs	112	157

Director of the Poor.

DISTRICTS

Abbottstown	32	32
Arendtsville	51	61
Bendersville	52	43
Berwick	29	25
Biglerville	93	95
Butler	128	128
Conowago	61	68
Cumberland	169	163
East Berlin	74	63
Fairfield	59	59
Franklin	171	259
Freedom	52	47
Germany	48	32
Gettysburg 1st	260	222
Gettysburg 2d	170	168
Gettysburg 3d	197	211
Hamilton	36	34
Hamiltonban 1	149	149
Hamiltonban 2	6	5
Highland	64	51
Huntington 1	83	75
Huntington 2	28	22
Latimore	130	104
Liberty	69	68
Littlestown	191	133
McSherrystown 1	20	27
McSherrystown 2	32	59
Menallen	211	196
Mt. Joy	166	109
Mt. Pleasant 1	39	33
Mt. Pleasant 2	15	40
Mt. Pleasant 3	54	64
New Oxford	111	106
Oxford	42	55
Reading	73	71
Straban	156	149
Tyrone 1	39	37
Tyrone 2	53	45
Union	36	29
York Springs	54	47

County Auditors.

DISTRICTS

Abbottstown	43	31
Arendtsville	39	50
Bendersville	52	52
Berwick	73	25
Biglerville	91	96
Butler	117	128
Conowago	61	71
Cumberland	149	145
East Berlin	68	70
Fairfield	64	58
Franklin	169	151
Freedom	54	44
Germany	36	42
Gettysburg 1st	195	219
Gettysburg 2d	132	151
Gettysburg 3d	140	171
Hamilton	30	35
Hamiltonban 1	160	144
Hamiltonban 2	6	6
Highland	53	50
Huntington 1	83	80
Huntington 2	26	26
Latimore	127	119
Liberty	69	66
Littlestown	151	165
McSherrystown 1	21	27
McSherrystown 2	33	50
Menallen	192	206
Mt. Joy	91	161
Mt. Pleasant 1	26	30
Mt. Pleasant 2	42	29

Mt. Pleasant 3	40	50
New Oxford	69	97
Oxford	30	35
Reading	57	56
Straban	139	149
Tyrone 1	44	50
Tyrone 2	39	42
Union	31	35
York Springs	44	49

WANTED.—York Imperial apples and potatoes by the car load, also rabbit and skunk hounds. Write to B. F. Farman, Quincy, Pa.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE.

In re: Estate of Jacob A. Kitzmiller, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, County of Adams and State of Pennsylvania, deceased.

Letters of Administration d. b. n. c. t. a. upon the above styled estate having been duly granted by the Register of Wills of Adams County unto the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are hereby notified to promptly make payment thereof and all having claims or accounts against the same to present them for payment to

ROBERT C. MILLER,
JACOB I. MUMPER,
Administrators d. b. n. c. t. a. residing on Baltimore St., Gettysburg, Pa.

Or to their Attys.,
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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of H. L. Bream, late of the Township of Franklin, Adams county, Pa., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned and all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent are requested to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payment without delay to

F. MARK BREAM,
Administrator,
Gettysburg, Pa.

Clean White Rags Wanted at this

EARN MONEY IN YOUR SPARE TIME

Gwen's Protege

By WILL T. AMES

Miss Gwen Ciphers, daughter of an Indianapolis native and wall paper merchant and one of the kind of women who make their first home Archibald of fine and Greenfield if superfluous, met up with Ras Goora, son of a Califfa rag picker, in Washington square.

Gwen was the ninety-six thousand and first girls' college graduate to come from Indiana to New York to soften the heart of the world with her pen. Ras was the second young man to come from Califfa, Syria, with the definite purpose of acquiring, within six months, capital enough to buy a licorice plantation.

The first Califfa youth to achieve this ambition had been Tufa Goora, Ras's cousin. He had returned, after a brief absence, with a small hatful of the golden coin of the infidels, and had purchased the most excellent plantation of Haj Akab; also the second-hand silver of the departing French consuls.

Ela Karhagian, sleep-eyed daughter of the Armenian doctor, seemed disposed to condescend to Tufa under these circumstances. Ras, too, had learned helplessly for Ela. He determined to put over a performance to equal or excel his cousin's. He knew of a better plantation and a newer Ford. The plantation he wanted was so near to town they could run in to the picture theater; if—

And Ras would have made his adventuring voyage to the other side of the world even had he known positively that what he had merely occurred to him as a probability—that Tufa's money had been the fruit of a series of precatory enterprises which made it by the rarest of good luck that he ever returned to Califfa. He had got out of New York just two jumps ahead of the police.

Ras himself was entirely without prejudice as to the manner in which he might possess himself of some of the pelf of those villainously rich unbelievers in America. His one idea was to get it and get back.

George Washington Ciphers wouldn't have trusted Goora, pere, for a ten-cent paint brush if the latter, per magician's carpet, had suddenly walked in upon him.

Moreover, he would have kept the secret of eyes on old Ras senior, to see that he didn't steal the knob off the front door as he went out. But Gwen Ciphers didn't inherit either her father's suspicious temperament nor his quick insight into human nature. Gwen, though she didn't suspect it, took somewhat after her mushy mother.

So when Ras, hat in hand, approached her as she sat on a bench in the historic square planning wonderful things for the world—to be put in her book—Gwen did not shoo him away, but looked at the paper he held out.

Ras had great, soulful eyes, like a deer, and said, so pathetically, "Piss, mees."

The writing read: "Am strange plans in grate country. Ples show work. Am awful grate strong."

"What on earth—where did you get this?" Gwen exclaimed. Ras shook his head. "No spik American."

"Well, you poor soul, you've got a nice time ahead of you, sure. But who wrote this?" Ras shook his head again.

"Gwen, by speaking very loud indeed, in single words, and making a series of experiment in the sign language, finally got out of Ras the two words, 'look, ship.'"

"Well, you come with me," Gwen suddenly exclaimed; and grabbing Ras's coat sleeve with thumb and forefinger she steered him over to the West Eleventh street "pension," where she lived with Madame Blanc, a Swiss conjuror, who knew how to change five cents' worth of cat meat into a most delectable rascot. She dragged him to the basement door, demanded to see Madame at once, and to that lady said: "Here's that house man you wanted. You've simply got to take him."

Madame was a business woman. Ras was without English. He would be worth no more than his board. Ras, his deerlike eyes full of gratitude, returned to be shown work.

Nobody else ever learned the language as fast as Ras Goora. "These people, I have often heard," explained Gwen, "have a positive genius for tongues." Nevertheless she took a mighty pride in Ras's accomplishment, for he was her pupil. A dozen times a day he was at her door receiving tips—tips on English, that is. In three months he was talking like a phonograph record.

Naturally, Ras explained everything to his benefactress. He was an altruist who lived for others. That's why he was in America. Himself, he would so many thousand times prefer to stay in his own beautiful, dreamy Syria, amid the olive trees and orange blossoms, than to go forth among so many, many strangers. But his people—ah, the poor, poor people!

Such a long time oppressed by the wicked Turks. For them he had come to America. They had no schools. He had come to beg money from the rich, generous Americans for a great children's school at Beirut.

To cut it short, Gwen possessed eight thousand dollars, an aunt's

legacy. And the supreme court itself couldn't have convinced her that the book she was writing would fail to bring in other thousands shortly.

She was actually on the point of signing a check for four of the eight thousands, to be handed over to Ras Goora as the nucleus of the Gwendoline Ciphers school, in far off Beirut, when:

Sam Cody, the busiest man in Indianapolis found—or made—time to drop in to call on Miss Ciphers. Sam was all business. He had been everywhere and made money everywhere he went.

But he had leisure enough to keenly desire to make Gwen Ciphers Mrs. Cody. He jeered at her literary aspirations and her vaunted capacity for "making her own life." Consequently Gwen resented him while she secretly adored him.

He arrived at Miss Ciphers's combination living room about thirty seconds ahead of Ras Goora, the moment of whose coup was ripe. He was shaking hands with Gwen still—that is, he was holding one—when Ras tapped discreetly at the door. Gwen, all smiles of triumph over her Beirut enterprise, invited Ras in. Then she proceeded to tell Sam all about what she and Ras were going to do for the Beirut infants. When she turned to beam on Ras she was amazed to find him, all a tremble, staring at Sam as if at a ghost. At the same instant Sam got to the door first. He grabbed Ras by the collar, spoke rudely to him for about ten seconds, opened the door, chucked him through it and said "Scat!" Ras took the stairs in three downward jumps, yanked the front door open and disappeared.

Sam had been an export agent in Califfa six years before. He bought olives and licorice and goat's hair and other things and shipped them to America to people he represented.

He made a pack of money, but not so much that he felt like being robbed. So when he found Ras Goora, his office boy, whom he had hired because he could speak English, making a wax impression of the key to his petty cash drawer he kicked him into the road, to learn subsequently that as an all-around larcenist Ras was Califfa's only rival to his own father, who, it was known, had robbed the poor box at the missionaries' chapel on the day of his own "conversion."

"Listen, Gwen," said Sam, after Ras had scurried away. "You're about as fit to buck against the slides and grafters and four-flushers as you were when you were two-and-a-half. I like you that way. I don't want you to get too blase cynical. You will, if you stay here and meet a little million more of Rases. Tell you something. I went to see that Simms person—your publisher—and I made him admit that he wouldn't publish your book on his own hook in a million years; is only taking it for his percentage on what it costs you. You're coming out to Indianapolis with me and be Mrs. Sam Cody. Sam, he'll be the business agent between you and the world—see?"

And Gwen saw—at last. So she went.

QUEER WEAPONS OF DUELISTS

Steel and Ball Not the Only Things Used by Adversaries on "Field of Honor."

In the latter part of the eighteenth century that prince of charlatans, Count Cagliostro, proposed a duel with poisoned pills. The trouble arose because he had called a physician a quack. Cagliostro, on the ground that "a medical controversy should be settled in a medical manner," proposed that two pills, one deadly, the other harmless, should be put in a box and shaken up. Each was to draw a pill and swallow it.

In due course the duel came off. Cagliostro lived. The other man died.

Some years before the war an American student in Paris, challenged by a Frenchman, chose baseball as his weapon. There was immense jeering, and the American was accused of everything from insanity to cowardice. The latter on the assumption that no one could possibly be hurt by a baseball. But the American, taking his stand at pitcher's distance, threw with such force and accuracy that the flying sphere struck his opponent between the eyes and laid him out flat, though he recovered later on.

A duel with deadly germs was seriously proposed by a Chicago physician in 1916. The preliminaries were arranged, but at the last moment the challenged party shrank from the ordeal.

As to the Habit of It.

Creations of habit, such as human beings. They carry along with them a lot of the primitive instincts they had in common with the lower creation in the ages past. A habit is only an outgrowth of an instinct. It is the instinct to do the thing that was done before until the doing of it becomes second nature. The leading psychologists, and the lesser as well, for that matter, agree that the reactions of the human system to environment are limitless and therefore the range of things that may be done habitually is limitless.

When Gold Tarnishes.

In the case of a black mark made by a gold pin upon a white cravat, the discoloration is not due to tarnishing but to friction. Gold jewelry sometimes tarnishes in the shop through being wrapped in cheap tissue paper, placed in boxes with inferior linings or tied up with rubber bands. It will sometimes tarnish in sympathy with unlacquered silver exposed in the same showcase.

ENDORSES TEACHING THRIFT IN SCHOOLS

Superintendent of Schools Urges National Instruction

The letter reproduced below from Dr. Thomas E. Finegan, State Superintendent of Schools in Pennsylvania, has recently been received by Governor E. P. Passmore, of the Federal Reserve Bank. The message contained in Dr. Finegan's communication is a very important one. In it, he expresses the opinion that there should be "regular and systematic instruction in the subject of thrift in every school in the land." It is significant that so many of the leading educators of the country are giving whole-hearted support to the National Thrift and Savings Movement. Assuredly they realize the truth of the old saying, "as the twig is bent so the tree inclines." Dr. Finegan's letter follows:

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Department of Public Instruction Harrisburg, Pa., October 9, 1919.

Hon. E. P. Passmore, Governor 3d Federal Reserve District, Philadelphia, Penn.

My dear Governor Passmore: It is my judgment that there should be regular and systematic instruction in the subject of Thrift in every school in the land. There are many ways in which this subject may be correlated with the regular subjects and the whole subject may be presented to a child in a manner which will not interfere in any way whatever with the regular work of the school, but which will add interest to such work, and at the same time, inculcate in a child the habit of thrift.

We are organizing an Educational Congress to be held in this state during the week of November 17 and 18. I should be very glad to put this subject down to be considered at that time.

I am sure the superintendents and teachers of the state will cordially cooperate in a movement of such importance to the state and country. I am in favor of incorporating in a revised curriculum for the public schools the subject of thrift.

Assuring you of my co-operation while the department or the teaching service of the state may be able to give, I am

Very sincerely yours, (Signed) THOMAS E. FINEGAN, State Superintendent.

SAVING CERTIFICATES

SUCCESS IN DISTRICT

Banks, Fraternal Organizations and Individuals Find Them Ideal For Investment.

That the \$100 and \$1000 Treasury Savings Certificates are meeting with unqualified success in the Third Federal District is evidenced by a report recently issued by the Federal Reserve Bank. It is shown that since the issuance of the new form of security over 350 of the \$1000 and over 1000 of the \$100 Treasury Savings Certificates have been purchased by the thrifty people of this district.

Banking institutions were among the first to recognize the desirability of the government securities and many of them are carrying a certificate registered in the name of the bank. Others have a limited quantity on hand for re-sale to the public. 250 fraternal organizations have availed themselves of the opportunity to invest part of their funds in these securities for they realize that if the occasion arises the certificates can be redeemed on ten days' notice at full value plus the interest earned.

Since the Treasury Savings Certificates were placed on sale, the by-monthly reports of per capita sales show an increase from \$62 to \$84 for the district. During this period, the per capita sales of Southern New Jersey have advanced from \$67 to \$84 while Delaware has increased sales from \$25 per capita on July 15th to \$23 per capita today. Thirty-four counties of Eastern Pennsylvania have increased from \$63 to \$83 per capita and Philadelphia has jumped from \$73 to \$101.

It is surprising how quickly small amounts saved systematically and invested at a fair rate of interest increase until one has saved a considerable sum. An illustration which comes to mind is the case of a man in one of our rural communities who had built himself a home, but owing to his limited funds, was unable to complete the house according to his plan. When government Savings Stamps were first issued in 1917, this man became a regular purchaser, investing a certain sum in Thrift Stamps each week.

A few days ago he went to his postmaster and presented \$500. (maturity value) worth of 1918 Government Savings Stamps and said he would like to have \$400 in cash, which he wanted to use to have a bathroom built in his home. The other \$333 he had in 1918 Stamps, he said, "and I would like to have this Certificate with 12 Government Savings Stamps and the eight new stamps exchanged for one of those new Treasury Savings Certificates of \$100 maturity value."

That man knows the value of saving and the fact that he redeemed his stamps to pay for a bath room in his home, makes him a better citizen. He feels that he must advance and in doing so he will remember the government offers him advancement in the absolutely safe security of Treasury Savings Certificates.

The upbuilding of a great body of investors is an undertaking which has deep significance to the institutions of the United States.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss. Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATHARRH MEDICINE. FRANK J. CHENEY, Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1919. A. W. GLEASON, (Seal) Notary Public. Hall's Catharrh Medicine is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Sold by all druggists. See Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

George Walters, Cumberland county, has purchased the 66 acre farm of Geo. W. Himes, at Upped Huntington at private terms.

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS

FOR BACKACHE KIDNEYS AND BLADDER Advertisement. Last Friday night the cellar door in rear of the home of Geo. Klingel in New Oxford, was left unlocked and a thief entered and took a bushel of potatoes and 15 jars of fruit.

FOLEY CATHARTIC TABLETS

Key Stomach Sweet-Liver Active-Bowel Regular Advertisement. J. C. Birely was given a birthday surprise party by a few of his friends Saturday evening at his home in New Oxford.

Dr. Fahrney's Teething Syrup conforms to the Pure Food and Drug Law; every bottle guaranteed. Sample free.

W. G. Minnick and R. E. Fogle, well known poultrymen of the Pastime Poultry Farm, Allentown, who were guests on Saturday of J. H. Sell, Jr., of the Wildwood Farm, near East Berlin, had an unpleasant experience while out gunning. Mr. Minnick came within range of a hunter's gun and suffered flesh wounds in the head and leg, while a number of shot passed through the trouser leg of Mr. Fogle.

Hay Fever-Catarrh

Prompt Relief Guaranteed SCHIFFMANN'S CATARRH BALM. Lightning during the severe electrical storm on Thursday struck the barn of Amos Wolf, of Mummansburg, and the fire completely consumed the building and all of its contents, which consisted of five tons of hay, chickens and grain. The loss is estimated at nearly \$1000. This is the third barn Mr. Wolf has lost through lightning.

Cheapest accident insurance—Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil. For burns, scalds, cuts and emergencies. All druggists sell it. 30c. and 60c.

Mrs. Henry Raffensperger, an aged resident of Hampton, fell down stairs at her home and sustained a number of bruises but fortunately broke no bones.

Feel languid, weak, run down? Headache? Stomach "off"? A good remedy is Burdock Blood Bitters. Ask your druggist. Price \$1.25.

Henry J. Gardner, of Gardner's Station was Friday awarded \$375 in the Harrisburg courts for damages in his suit against the Keystone Motor Company, of Harrisburg. One of the defendant company's machines collided with Mr. Gardner's automobile at Harrisburg about two years ago.

For any itchininess of the skin, for skin rashes, chap, pimples, etc., try Doan's Ointment. 60c. at all drug stores.

Only a Cold.

Are you ill? Is often answered—"Oh! it's only a cold," as if a cold was a matter of little consequence, but people are beginning to learn that a common cold is a matter not to be trifled with, that some of the most serious diseases start with a cold. As soon as the first indication of a cold appears take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Remember that the sooner you get rid of your cold the less the danger, and this remedy will help you to throw it off. People's Drug Store.



Keep the Children Well

To keep the little ones well, sturdy and happy, free of coughs, colds, croup, little fevers and inflamed throats, use

Foley's Honey and Tar.

It is carefully made of selected remedies that loosen and break up a cough, stop croup and ease an aching inflamed throat, and it is clean of all narcotics. The prompt use of Foley's Honey and Tar is very helpful for whooping cough, and the restless feverish state that attends children's diseases.

M. T. Davis, Bensenville, W. Va., writes: "One of my patrons had a small child taken with croup. They came to my store and bought a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar before morning the child was entirely recovered." Sold everywhere.

Henry Stair, who sold his farm near Kingsdale, Adams county, and purchased a house in Littlestown, will have sale March 27, and will move to Littlestown.

A Cheerful Recommendation.

"They should be in every traveling man's grip," writes Geo. Jenner, 416 Labor St., San Antonio, Tex., of Foley Cathartic Tablets. "They are the best laxative I have taken and I cheerfully recommend them to anyone suffering with constipation or biliousness." They cleanse bowels, sweeten stomach, benefit liver. Sold everywhere.

Mrs. I. W. Pearson, Sr., sold her 17 acre tract of land along the Ridge road near York Springs, to H. R. Plank on private terms. The tract adjoins the Plank nursery.

Cut This Out—It is Worth Money.

DON'T MISS THIS. Cut out this slip, enclose with 5c. to Foley & Co., 2635 S. Field Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds, and croup. Foley Kidney Pills and Foley Cathartic Tablets. Sold everywhere.

Mrs. W. L. Glatfelter, of Spring Grove gave the annual chrysanthemum show at her home this week. Twenty-five cents admission was charged and the proceeds are for the benefit of the Visiting Nurse Fund at Spring Grove.

PARKER'S HAIR BALM. Removes Dandruff, Itch, Scalp Itching, Restores Color and Beauty to Gray and Faded Hair. 50c. and \$1.00 at druggists. H. C. Parker, N. Y.

Miss Gladys Burgoon, teacher of Valley Grove School near Littlestown, gave a Halloween entertainment at her school in Union township.

Indigestion, Biliousness, Constipation

Chamberlain's Tablets have restored to health and happiness hundreds who were afflicted with indigestion, biliousness and constipation. If you are troubled in this way give them a trial. You are certain to be pleased for they will benefit you. The People's Drug Store.

As a result of a visit of inspection by the Maryland State Roads Commission last week, it is said that some of the grading on the Emmitsburg road has been ordered reduced, and the work finished up before freezing weather. This road has been ordered way almost two years.

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS

FOR BACKACHE KIDNEYS AND BLADDER Advertisement. A lazy liver leads to chronic dyspepsia and constipation—weakens the whole system. Doan's Regulents (30c. per box) act mildly on the liver and bowels. At all drug stores.

This Means You.

When you get up with a bad taste in your mouth, a dull tired feeling, no relish for food and are constipated, you may know that you need a dose of Chamberlain's Tablets. They not only cause an agreeable movement of the bowels, but cleanse and invigorate the stomach and improve the digestion. People's Drug Store.

Among the first cases called for trial by York county was that of H. E. Robert of Littlestown, who several weeks ago drove an automobile recklessly in Hanover on a Saturday night and ran into several machines inflicting damages. He was found to have been under the influence of liquor. He plead guilty and was given a fine of \$100 and costs of prosecution.

SHIP YOUR

Hides, Skins, Tallow, Raw Furs, etc. to the KEYSSTONE HIDE COMPANY, Lancaster, Pa. S. H. Livingston, Supt. They will pay top cash market prices. Satisfaction guaranteed. Write or telephone for prices. Shipping tags free on request.

ASTHMA

INSTANTLY RELIEVED WITH ASTHMADOR OR MONEY REFUNDED ASK ANY DRUGGIST

Prothonotary G. Harry Roth has been appointed to take affidavits of persons claiming bounty for killing noxious animals and will pay \$2 for each fox; \$8 for each wild cat; \$2 for each weasel, and \$1 for each mink. No bounty will be paid for killing hawks or owls. No claim will be honored by the Board of Game Commissioners if the skin of the animal's feet has been split before being sent to the office.

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS

FOR BACKACHE KIDNEYS AND BLADDER Advertisement.

Babies don't mind cold or take cold if kept well with Dr. Fahrney's Teething Syrup. Get it anywhere. Sample free.

This Woman Found Relief.

Men and women suffering from kidney and bladder trouble will be glad to read how one woman found relief. Mrs. G. Hyde, Homestead, Mich., writes: "I had that terrible backache and tired out feeling, scarcely able to do my work. Foley Kidney Pills made me feel like a new person." Sold everywhere.

A. W. Feeser, of Taneytown, has purchased the Crapster lot—the old baseball ground—on the Littlestown road, adjoining his other property.

FOLEY'S HONEY-TAR

James E. Flohr, of Taneytown, has purchased the farm of Miss Mary J. Ecker, near Uniontown, 70 acres, at \$9000.

Don't Disregard a Cold.

A neglected cold may develop into most serious sickness. The influenza and pneumonia that swept the country a year ago were preceded by an epidemic of colds. Foley's Honey and Tar will check a cold if taken in time. It loosens phlegm and mucous clears air passages, eases hoarseness, stops tickling throat. Sold everywhere.

Melvin Smith, son of Amos Smith, of Reading township, who was recently tramped on the foot by a horse, resulting in a very severe sore has been threatened with tetanus from the injury.

Tells How He Was Helped.

James McCrery, Berrien Center, Mich., says he was troubled with kidney and bladder trouble for two years and used several kinds of medicine without any benefit, but Foley Kidney Pills gave him relief from aches and pains and stopped backache and rheumatic pains; ease lameness. Sold everywhere.

Farm tractor dealers in Adams county estimate that 100 machines have been sold since the beginning of the present year.

Constipation.

Most laxatives and cathartics afford only temporary relief and should be used only for that purpose. When you want permanent relief take Chamberlain's Tablets and be careful to observe the directions with each package. These tablets not only move the bowels, but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion. People's Drug Store.

The John Thomas farm situated two miles west of Hampton, was sold at public sale Saturday to a Mr. Shrum, of Virginia, at \$22 per acre. The farm contains 154 acres.

A Good Cough Medicine for Children

Mrs. J. W. Phillips, Redon, Ga., phoned to J. M. Floyd, the merchant there, for a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and said she had bought a bottle of it at his store recently and that it was doing her children so much good that she wanted to keep up the treatment. You will find nothing better for coughs and colds in children or for yourself. It keeps the cough loose, expectoration easy and soon frees the system from the cold. People's Drug Store.

Walter Fiddler, of Biglerville, was arrested in Centre Square by State Constable Robert L. Fohl, for driving an automobile after dark without one front light. At a hearing before Squire Hill he was fined \$10 and paid \$300 costs.

BITES—STINGS

Wash the parts with warm, salt water—then apply— VICKS VAPORUB

Advertisement.

Recommends It to Anyone.

"My son had a cough for a long time," writes Mrs. Heck, 728 Third Ave., Louisville, Ky.; and he tried Foley's Honey and Tar and he slept better that night than he had for some time. It certainly is fine. I recommend it to anyone." Good for coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough. Children like it. Contains no opiates. Sold everywhere.

C. Grover Myers, postmaster at Gardners, has returned from a successful hunting trip in the Alleghenies where he shot a large black bear.

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS

FOR BACKACHE KIDNEYS AND BLADDER Advertisement. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kiser, of near Seven Hundred, gave a wedding dinner on Sunday to a large number of friends in honor of their son, John Kiser, who was recently married to Miss Annie Moore.

FOR SICK-HEADACHE STOMACH TROUBLES AND CONSTIPATION

Send \$1.00 for a bottle of STOMO and be relieved

STOMO Medicine Company Box 102, Lancaster, Pa.

Coughs

Kill If You Let Them.
 Indeed kill your Cough with DR. KING'S
 NEW DISCOVERY. It kills Influenza
 Throat and Lung. Thousands in last
 40 years benefited by

**Dr. King's
 New Discovery**

Money Back If It Fails
 All Druggists 50c. and \$1.00

DIAGNOSTICIAN DR. FAHRNEY HAGERSTOWN, MD.

I study and treat chronic diseases
 and deformities. I cure many cases
 the ordinary doctor does not under-
 stand. Is there anything wrong with
 you—send me your name and address
 and I will tell you what to do, and
 there is no charge for this. I'm the
 only Dr. Fahrney in town.

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Can only be attained
 in the shop equipped
 with the best type faces
 and machinery on the
 market. Our shop is
 prepared to do that job
 of yours in a tasty and
 efficient way. All kinds
 of work done to suit
 your taste.

COMPILER PRESS

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that letters
 testamentary on the estate of Sam-
 uel and Susan Bollinger, late of
 Reading township, Adams county,
 Pa., deceased, having been granted
 to the undersigned, he hereby gives
 notice to all persons indebted to said
 estate to make immediate payment
 and those having claims against the
 same to present them properly au-
 thenticated for settlement.

CHESTER O. CHRONISTER,
 Executor,
 Hampton, Pa.

Or his Atty.,
 Wm. Arch. McClean,
 Gettysburg, Pa.

Professional Card

S. McC. Swaps J. Donald Swaps
 Late Pres. Judge.
 ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW. GETTYSBURG, PA.
 Office Warner Building, Baltimore St.

Chas. R. Steadler, D.D.S.
 DENTIST.
 GETTYSBURG, PA.
 Office Second Floor of Star and Sentinel
 Building, Balto. St.

John D. Keith
 ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. GETTYSBURG, PA.
 Office First National Bank Building, Cen-
 tre Square.

S. S. Neal,
 ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. GETTYSBURG, PA.
 Office in Star and Sentinel Building, 2nd
 Floor, Balto. St., over Cash Store.

Charles E. Stable
 ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. GETTYSBURG, PA.
 Office in First National Bank Building,
 Centre Square. All legal business entrusted
 to him will receive prompt and careful at-
 tention.

Wm. McSherry
 ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. GETTYSBURG, PA.
 Will carefully and promptly attend to all
 legal business entrusted to him. Office on
 Balto. St., opposite Court House.

Wm. Arch. McClean
 ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. GETTYSBURG, PA.
 Law offices in Compiler Building, Balto.
 Street, a few doors above Court House on
 opposite side of street.

J. L. Williams
 ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. GETTYSBURG, PA.
 Collections and all legal business promptly
 attended to. Office in First National Bank
 Building, Centre Square.

Wm. Hersh
 ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW. GETTYSBURG, PA.
 Will carefully and promptly attend to all
 legal business entrusted to him. Office op-
 posite the Court House.

J. L. Butt. C. E. Butt.
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 ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW. GETTYSBURG, PA.
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WANTED

Young women between the ages of
 eighteen and thirty-five years to take
 the Nurses' Training Course at W. S. H.
 M. Graduate eligible for state exam-
 ination for registered nurses. Wages
 \$25.00 monthly during Junior year.
 For further information apply to the
 superintendent, Warren State Hospital,
 Warren, Pa.

Clean White Rags Wanted at this
 office

CONGRESSMAN'S SON WINS APPOINTMENT



Lehr Fess, son of Congressman
 Fess of Ohio, is the new parlia-
 mentarian to the House of Repre-
 sentatives, succeeding Clarence
 Cannon, resigned. Fess has stud-
 ied for many years to prepare
 for the place. He is 28 years old.

RED CROSS TO FURNISH RELIEF

Preparations For Disaster Aid
 on a Gigantic Scale
 Now Being Made.

NATION'S WEALTH AVAILABLE

New Plan is Part of the Peace Pro-
 gram and No Disaster is Too Big
 For it to Handle Efficiently.

Preparedness for disaster relief
 on a scale never before possible is
 being undertaken by the American
 Red Cross, as one of the important
 features of its peace program, for
 the support of which an effort will be
 made to secure a record membership
 during the Third Red Cross roll call,
 November 2 to 11.

A Frightful Record.

Because of the lack of the spec-
 tacular in many of them, it is not
 generally realized how frequently
 disasters occur, bringing death and
 suffering in their wake. Since 1900,
 disasters of peace have cost thousands
 of lives and have brought personal

injury and property losses to no
 fewer than 1,500,000 persons, at the
 same time destroying property valued
 at over \$1,000,000,000.

During 1917 alone, eighty disasters
 came to the attention of the American
 Red Cross; sixty-two tornadoes, five
 floods, four great fires, two earth-
 quakes, two serious mine explosions,
 two munition plant explosions, a race
 riot, a shipwreck and the tragic ex-
 tinction of the Titanic. The total
 of deaths entailed was 1758, while
 5927 were injured and the property
 loss reached \$110,000,000.

Under its direction the entire re-
 sources of all communities for emer-
 gency relief will be mobilized for in-
 stant use when needed. Red Cross
 chapters everywhere will create Dis-
 aster Preparedness Committees that
 will make surveys locating not only
 emergency food supplies, drugs and
 other hospital supplies, cots, mattresses,
 blankets, clothing, schools, arm-
 ories and other buildings for housing
 refugees, but also will canvass physi-
 cians, nurses, social workers and
 others prepared to respond in-and-
 out to calls for their services in disasters.

Relief Supply Centers.

Information gathered in these sur-
 veys will be filed by the thirteen Red
 Cross Divisional organizations in the
 United States, which will establish
 disaster relief supply centers and
 take charge of operations when assist-
 ance is needed. In the case of major
 disasters, where the resources of the
 division in which it occurs are over-
 taxed, the entire relief strength of the
 Red Cross in the country may be mo-
 bilized, through National Headquar-
 ters. And there will also be ready
 for immediate relief duty the equip-
 ment and personnel of the fifty base
 hospitals organized by the American
 Red Cross and turned over to the
 army for service in France.

For the guidance of its represen-
 tatives at the scene of disasters a
 comprehensive Relief Manual has
 been compiled by J. Byron Deacon,
 director general of the American Red
 Cross Department of Civilian Relief,
 who is charged with responsibility for
 Red Cross funds and operations in
 disasters. The Manual calls attention
 to the frequency of disasters and
 urges that relief to be effective must
 be swift and centralized.

The local community, so far as pos-
 sible is depended upon to provide its
 own relief, with the Division and Na-
 tional Red Cross organizations stand-
 ing ready to rush additional aid where
 it is necessary. The extensive and
 varied experience of the Red Cross
 places it in a peculiarly effective po-
 sition to offer sound counsel. It has
 built up a trained and seasoned staff
 of relief workers and each Division
 office will have its list of experienced
 disaster workers under agreement to
 go, at a moment's notice, to any
 stricken territory.

The Red Cross is thus planning to
 put disaster relief on such a sound
 basis that it will become in the fullest
 sense, nation-wide in scope, and will
 assure a swifter mobilization and ap-
 plication of whatever may be needed
 after calamities, no matter what their
 size or where they occur.

OYSTER RAISING IN HOLLAND

Highly Scientific Methods Employed in
 That Country Have Been Re-
 markably Successful.

In the industry represented by oyster
 cultivation, Holland is the most sys-
 tematic in its operations and employs
 more elaborate methods than any other
 country in the world. The numerous
 sounds that indent the coast of Hol-
 land, particularly in the region of the
 River Scheldt, afford excellent facili-
 ties for the propagation of the oyster
 and enable the country to conduct the
 most successful oyster industry in Eu-
 rope. Public dredging is not permitted,
 as the result of that system was the
 threatened exhaustion of the fisheries,
 and the beds have been carefully sur-
 veyed and specific tracts are leased
 to individuals and companies, who are
 thus enabled to conduct the propaga-
 tion of the oyster in a systematic man-
 ner that insures the best results from
 the territory available. Many grower-
 lease several tracts in different localities,
 and adapted to different purposes,
 which facilitates the various opera-
 tions, as the oysters can be shifted
 from one place to another, according
 to the season and the stage of de-
 velopment. A few of the oysterman
 plant shells on the banks, as is done in
 many places in this country, but the
 largest and most successful propaga-
 tors are equipped with their own
 tanks and ponds, located in conven-
 ient shallow bays, in which they carry
 on the culture.

MEASURE HEAT OF STARS

Scientific Instrument Used at Wash-
 ington Is Sensitive to an Almost
 Miraculous Degree.

One of the experts employed by the
 government bureau of standards in
 Washington has perfected an instru-
 ment which measures the heat of a
 star so far away that it can't be seen
 with the unaided eye. This same in-
 strument is sensitive enough to be af-
 fected by the heat of a candle 100
 miles away. "What is the practical
 value of such labor?" asks Thomas H.
 Uzzell in Everybody's. "Well, for
 one thing, these experiments by Doc-
 tor Coblentz have made a substantial
 contribution to the theory and tech-
 nology of measuring high tempera-
 tures which will melt any known sub-
 stance. Making use of this new knowl-
 edge, other bureau men have greatly
 improved the high-temperature ther-
 mometers which are used in the steel
 industry to measure the temperature
 of molten steel. One of the biggest
 improvements in the production of
 steel in recent years is the result.

"Formerly many millions of dollars'
 worth of steel products depended upon
 the trained eye of the foreman in es-
 timating the temperature of steel from
 its color. But these new thermome-
 ters don't drink; they don't fail; and
 their accuracy means vast savings in
 money, better steel, a decided step for-
 ward in America's industrial sov-
 ereignty."

ASKS WAR MOTHERS TO SPONSOR PARDONS



Mrs. John F. Linscott, president
 of the Pinella, Fla., War
 Mothers' Chapter, wants her na-
 tional organization to sponsor a
 resolution asking pardon for
 every U. S. soldier now serving a
 court-martial sentence in European
 prisons or at home. She had four
 sons in the war. She now wears
 one gold star.

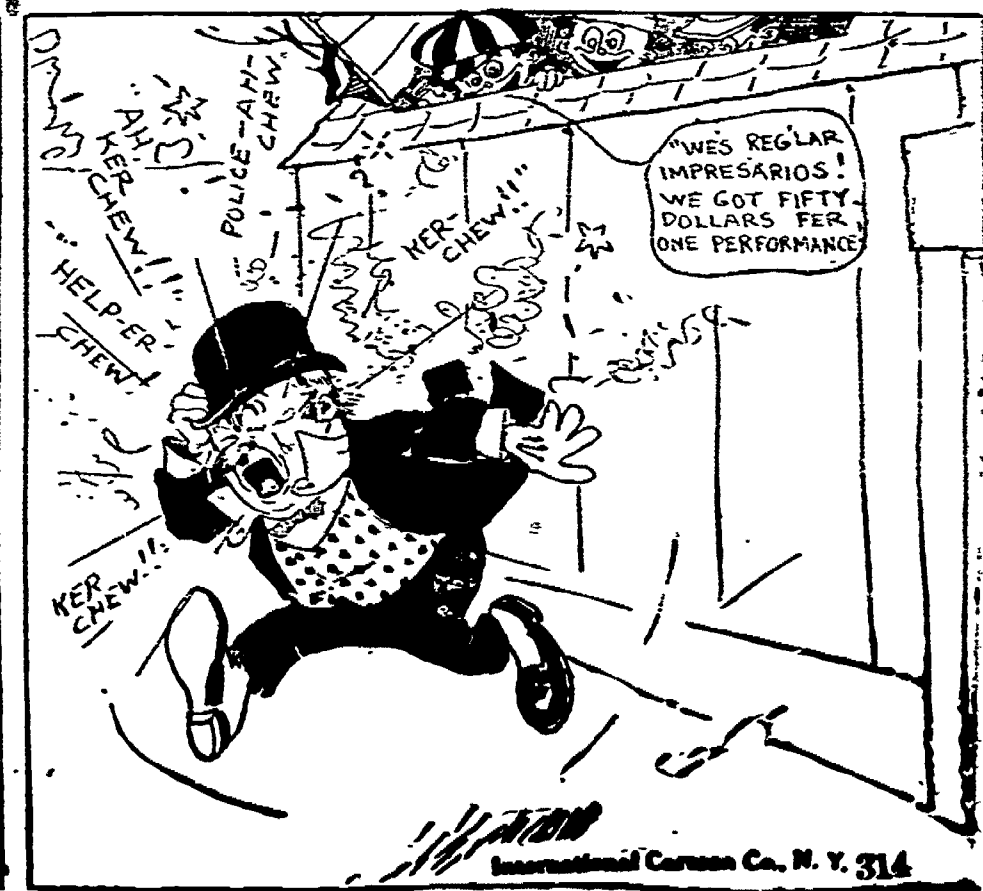
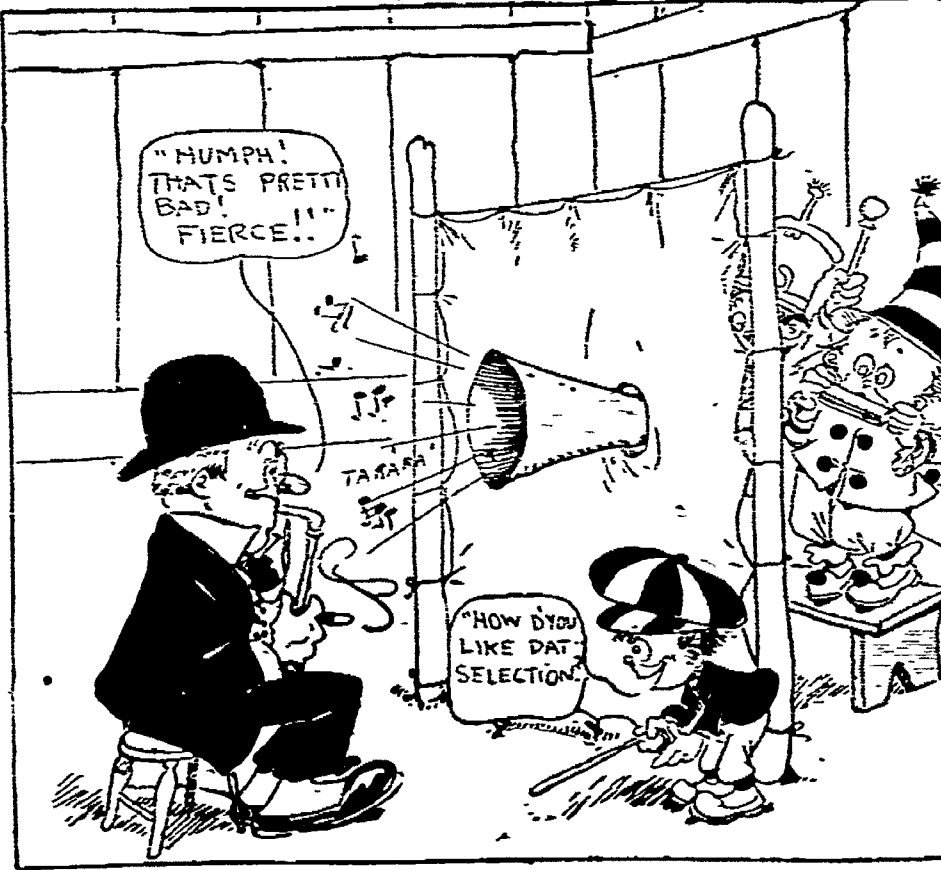
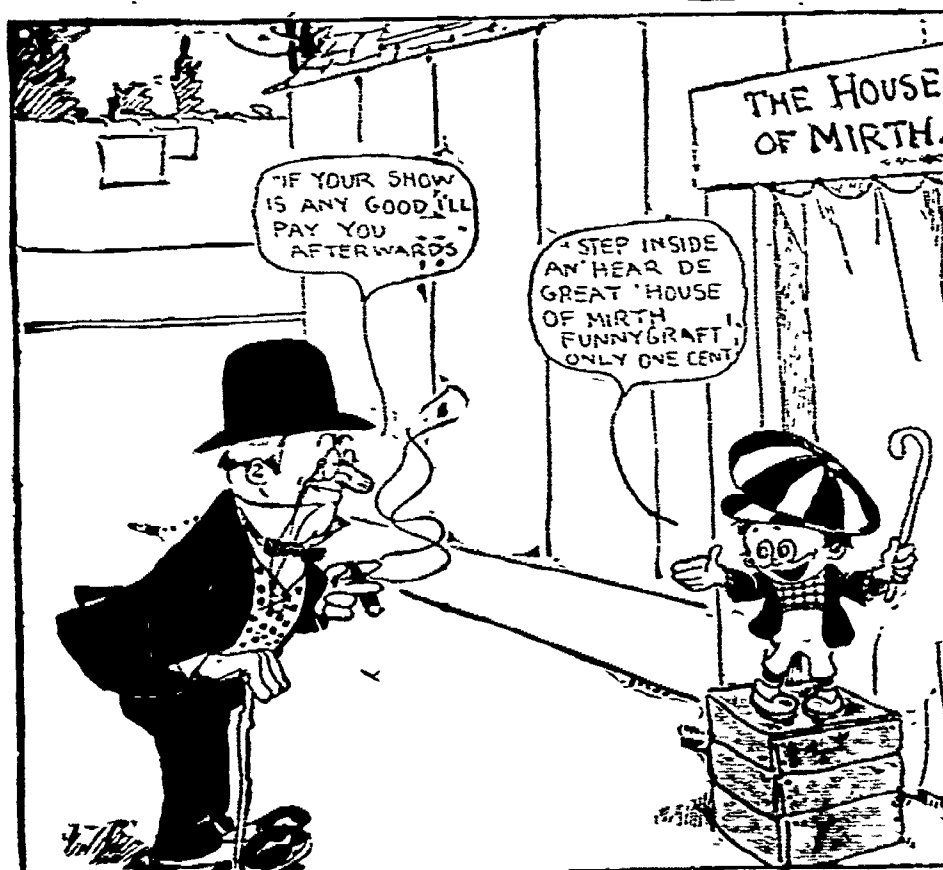
First Century Clock's Affairs.

When the first century clock was
 first made, the maker of the minute
 hand was a Dutchman, who was
 called the day of the month, the
 phases of the moon, and many other
 pieces of information, generally of a
 more or less astronomical character.
 During the sixteenth century, the Ital-
 ian and German clockmakers, notably
 those of Nuremberg and Augsburg,
 made great progress in their art.
 There are those who claim that one
 Richard Harris, an Englishman, in-
 vented and set up the earliest pendu-
 lum clock some time during the first
 four decades of the seventeenth cen-
 tury; but this story does not appear
 to be well authenticated, and the
 honor of introducing the pendulum
 seems to belong to the Dutchman,
 Hurgens.

Kangaroo Tendons Best Sutures.

The kangaroo, which propels its
 body over the ground in a series of
 long leaps or bounds, has a very pow-
 erful tail which is of great assist-
 ance to the legs in enabling it to leap.
 A great muscle or group of muscles,
 each little bundle of them with its own
 tendons extending to the extremity of
 the tail, gives power to this important
 organ. Dr. Henry O. Marcy of Boston
 discovered that these tendons were the
 ideal thing to use in sewing up mus-
 cles after a surgical operation, as they
 are not elastic and they do not soften
 until their work is done, and then they
 are absorbed by the tissues.

"THE HOUSE OF MIRTH"



International Cartoon Co., N. Y. 314

